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SUBJECT: PERSONAL PROPERTY ADVISORY MESSAGE - BACKLOG AT NORFOLK AERIAL PORT, VA

- 1. THE MILITARY TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT COMMAND (MTMC) WAS NOTIFIED BY THE AIR MOBILITY COMMAND (AMC) THAT THERE IS A BACKLOG AT THE NORFOLK AERIAL PORT (NGU) FOR ALL INCOMING CODES J AND T SHIPMENTS. THE BACKLOG IS RESULTING IN DELAYS BETWEEN 15 TO 30 DAYS. THE NORFOLK AERIAL PORT IS TAKING STEPS TO CLEAR THE BACKLOG BY ADDING AUGMENTEES TO ASSIST.
- 2. BASED ON THE ABOVE, PLEASE ENSURE THAT SERVICE MEMBERS ARE INFORMED OF THIS DELAY DURING COUNSELING AT ORIGIN AND DURING SHIPMENT STATUS INQUIRIES AT DESTINATION. ALSO, PERSONAL PROPERTY SHIPPING OFFICES SHOULD REMIND SERVICE MEMBERS THAT INCONVENIENCE CLAIMS CANNOT BE FILED AGAINST THE CARRIER FOR DELAYS CAUSED BY THE GOVERNMENT. HOWEVER, IF IT IS DETERMINED THAT THE SHIPMENT DELAY WAS PARTIALLY CAUSED BY THE CARRIER, AN INCONVENIENCE CLAIM MAY BE FILED ONLY FOR THOSE DAYS ATTRIBUTED TO THE CARRIER. FOR EXAMPLE, IF THE SHIPMENT MISSED THE RDD BY 30 DAYS AND IT IS DETERMINED THAT THE AERIAL PORT WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR DELAYING THE SHIPMENT 20 DAYS AND THE CARRIER 10 DAYS, THEN THE SERVICE MEMBER MAY FILE AN INCONVENIENCE CLAIM ONLY FOR THE 10 DAYS ATTRIBUTED TO THE CARRIER.
- 3. FOR SCORING PURPOSES UNDER TQAP, CARRIERS WILL NOT BE PENALIZED FOR THE DELAYS CAUSED BY NORFOLK. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A SHIPMENT MISSED ITS REQUIRED DELIVERY DATE (RDD) BY 19 DAYS AND IT IS DETERMINED THAT THE AERIAL PORT HELD THE SHIPMENT AN ADDITIONAL 20 DAYS THAN THEIR

ALLOTTED TIME, THEN THE SHIPMENT WILL BE CONSIDERED AS HAVING MET ITS RDD. IF A SHIPMENT MISSED ITS RDD BY 30 DAYS AND IT IS DETERMINED THE SHIPMENT WAS HELD BY THE AERIAL PORT 20 DAYS BEYOND THEIR ALLOTTED TIME, THEN THE SHIPMENT WILL BE CONSIDERED TO HAVE MISSED THE RDD BY 10 DAYS.

- 4. ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE WILL BE FORTHCOMING PROVIDING STATUS ON THE BACKLOG.
- 5. THIS IS A JOINT MTMC AND AMC MESSAGE.
- 6. POINT OF CONTACT IS THE OPERATIONS TEAM AT DSN 328-3495 OR (703) 428-3495, E-MAIL: PPOPS@MTMC.ARMY.MIL. BT